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AMENDMENT A

In response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE DRAWING

Applicants submit herewith a copy of drawing Figures 3 and 4 showing the addition of the numeral 10 in red ink in Figure 3. Subject to the Examiner's approval of this drawing correction, formal drawings, including the correction, and complying with drawing requirements noted on the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, will be submitted when required.

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel Claim 3.

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